### **SAMPLE TYPE** (Circle ONE)

Predictive (\$8) Diagnostic (\$8)

Research (\$12) Out of State (\$25)

# WASTE/COMPOST SAMPLE INFORMATION

## NCDA&CS Agronomic Division Plant/Waste/Solution/Media Section

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#### SAMPLE INFORMATION **PAYMENT GROWER INFORMATION** (please write legibly) AGENT OR ADVISOR **FARM ID** LAST NAME FIRST NAME LAST NAME FIRST NAME FEE TOTAL AMT PAID **ADDRESS ADDRESS** SAMPLING DATE METHOD OF PAYMENT: □ CASH □ CHECK SAMPLED BY CITY STATE ZIP CITY STATE ZIP ☐ INVOICE BY MAIL/EMAIL □ Grower □ Advisor ☐ ONLINE VISA/MC □ Reg.Agronomist ☐ ESCROW ACCOUNT: **EMAIL ADDRESS EMAIL ADDRESS** COUNTY (WHERE COLLECTED) PHONE **PHONE** Escrow Account Name PALS # (If known) PALS # (If known) NUMBER OF SAMPLES \*REPORTS NOT RELEASED UNTIL PAID WASTE **LAB NUMBER SAMPLE ID** SAMPLE DESCRIPTION/ APPLICATION **CORRESPONDING SAMPLE ID SPECIAL TESTS** LAB USE ONLY CODE METHOD(S) NO<sub>3</sub>, (LEAVE BLANK) required **COMMENTS** □ Soil □ Solution Heavy pH EC DM% C Metals CCE Other (see p. 2) required □ Plant □ Media

**SAMPLE TYPE** does not affect the type or number of tests that will be performed in the standard analysis. *Predictive* tests are for routine monitoring and *Diagnostic* tests are for troubleshooting samples <u>collected in N.C.</u> *Research* is defined as samples submitted by N.C. based private and university research facilities. An approved research agreement is required prior to submission. *Out of state* is for samples submitted by or for non-North Carolina residents, businesses or researchers.

### APPLICATION METHOD (S)

Select 1-2 application methods for an estimate of total or available nutrients.

#### LIQUID WASTE (lb/1000 gal)

- IR = Waste applied through irrigation system and left uncovered more than 2 days
- **IN** = Waste injected directly into the soil

#### **SOLID WASTE** (lb/ton)

- **BR** = Waste broadcast on soil surface and left uncovered more than 2 days
- **SI** = Waste broadcast on soil surface & soil incorporated within 2 days (*lb/ton*)

**SPECIAL TESTS** are nonstandard, optional tests that can be added to any sample for an additional fee.

- Nitrate (NO<sub>3</sub>-N) & ammonium (NH<sub>4</sub>-N) nitrogen:\$10 (Note: TOTAL nitrogen is included in the standard analysis.)
- Heavy metals (lead, nickel, cadmium): \$10
- Calcium Carbonate Equivalence (CCE): \$10—used to determine liming value/alkalinizing effect and reported as Agricultural Liming Equivalency
- Molybdenum (Mo): \$2

#### NON-COMPOSTED ANIMAL MANURE

#### **Lagoon Liquid**

ALS Swine (except farrow to wean)

ALF Swine (farrow to wean)

**ALP** Poultry

**ALO** Other

#### **Lagoon Sludge**

**ASP** Poultry

**ASS** Swine

**ASO** Other

### Slurry

**LSB** Beef

LSD Dairy (storage pond)

LSS Swine

LSO Other

### Surface Scraped/Stockpiled

SSB Beef

SSD Dairy

SSH Horse

SSS Swine

SSO Other

### **Poultry Litter**

**HBB** Broiler breeder

**HBP** Broiler pullet

**HLB** Broiler

**HLL** Layer

#### **COMPOST CODES**

#### **Composted Manure**

**FCB** Beef

FCD Dairy

FCH Horse

FCP Poultry

FCS Swine

#### **Other Composted Materials**

FPM Compost, poultry mortality

FSM Compost, swine mortality

**FCW** Compost, plant material

**FCX** Compost, mixed materials

FCV Vermicompost

**BCO** Compost, biosolids/residuals

#### **TIPS**

- Submit liquids in a one-pint clean, plastic (NO GLASS) bottle. Leave a couple of inches of headspace in the bottle to allow for sample expansion.
- Submit solid samples in a clean, sealable plastic bag, ~1 quart.
- Keep the samples cool. If they are stored for more than one day, they should be refrigerated.
- Indicate type of waste in the SAMPLE DESCRIPTION / COMMENTS section.
- For detailed sampling instructions, go to www.ncagr.gov/ agronomi/uyrwaste.htm

## INDUSTRIAL / MUNICIPAL / COMMERCIAL CODES

#### **Non-Composted Raw Materials**

NCR Raw plant material/crop residues

**NBS** Wood waste/sawdust

**NSF** Food and/or beverage by-products (solid)

**NLF** Food and/or beverage by-products (liquid)

**GTL** Grease trap water (liquid only)

NSA Animal by-products (solid)

**NLA** Animal by-products (liquid)

**IOC** Paper fiber/pulp

**IOL** Lime by-products \*CCE test required (\$10)

NSO Solid, other (specify)

**NLO** Liquid, other (specify)

### Combustion/Thermal by-products

**CSW** Wood ash (domestic or industrial)

CSC Coal ash

CSB Biochar

CSO Ash, mixed or other

## **Waste Treatment By-Products**

Untreated sewage sludge/septage is not accepted. Samples treated by aerobic or anaerobic digestion, composting, alkaline stabilization, or thermal drying/dewatering are accepted.

**BID** Domestic septage, (specify treatment)

**BCO** Biosolids, composted

**BIO** Biosolids, other treatment (specify)

**BIX** Biosolids, mixed

**BLL** Leachates/effluents or reclaimed water

**STANDARD TEST** — All samples are analyzed for nitrogen, phosphorus, potassium, calcium, magnesium, sulfur, iron, zinc, manganese, copper, boron, aluminum and sodium.

**Composted samples** are also analyzed for electrical conductivity, pH, and carbon to nitrogen ratio.

The NCDA&CS Agronomic Division laboratory is certified by the N.C. Department of Environmental Quality perform nutrient analyses for animal waste operations only. NCDA&CS is not certified to analyze industrial or domestic (municipal) wastes for regulatory compliance.

Liquid samples are also analyzed for pH.